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For : INTERFACE FOR BUS INDEPENDENT CORE

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.114)

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DATED: July 20, 2004

1. This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
2. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114
  - a. ☒ Previously submitted
    - i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on April 23, 2004
    - ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
    - iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

- b. ☐ Enclosed
- i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

3. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

4. *A Petition for a Three-Month Extension* is also enclosed herewith, including authorization to charge fees to Deposit Account.

5. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account N° 12-2252 in the amount of **\$770.00**. Please charge any underpayments related to this RCE or credit any excess to Deposit Account N° 12-2252. A duplicate of this RCE is enclosed for accounting purposes only.

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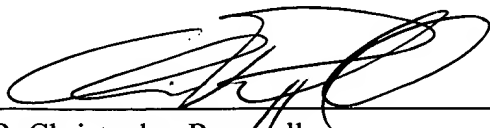
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